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Tomasch, G.

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METHOD FOR IMPLEMENTING THE  
SAME

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated February 17, 2004, Applicant hereby elects, without traverse, group I, claims 1-7 and 21, to prosecute in the above-identified patent application.

Should the Examiner have any questions concerning this matter, the undersigned can be reached at the telephone number set out below.

Respectfully submitted,  
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